

ANACS-EF-2248

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On the obverse the top of the O is missing and there is an unnatural depression in its stead. There is an unnatural depression in the field next to the left side of G in GEORGIUS. There is a row of small depressions on the right bottom of the neck paralleling the bottom line of the neck. There is an irregular depression in the field near and below the center of the bottom line of the neck. On the lower neck and slightly above its concave bend there is a large depression.

On the reverse there is an unnatural depression on the lower part of E and extending toward R. There are two unnatural depressions to the right of the palm leaf. There is a die break running between N1A.1 which appears cast rather than actual. There are two unnatural depressions between I and B, another under B, and another under E.

All of these defects are indicative of casting and did not occur because of die rust, planchet defects or insufficient striking pressure.

In our opinion the coin is a forgery.

The coin comes from a group of forged coins and should not be returned to the owner without a full disclosure of its prior history.

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B&E 8/21/78 #14

LF-2248



1723 Hibernia Farthing, "D.G.," Counterfeit

EF-2248



UNIT TO
ANA
CERTIFICATION SERVICE
101 N. Main
Tomball, Texas 77455

F 7004-B



ORDER TO
ANA
CORPORATION SERVICE
808 N. GARDEN
CALIFORNIA 90017



AMERICAN
ANA
CERTIFICATION SERVICE
515 N. CHURCH
CHICAGO, ILL. 60610



ORDER TO
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CERTIFICATION SERVICE
200 N. Central
Exclusionary Rights 200/83000

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1723 Hibernia Farthing, "D.G.," Counterfeit

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Calor 1012 20 1000 1000 1000000

EF-2248



EF- 2248



BXR 8/24/78 #14

EF-2240



1723 Hibernia Farthing, "D.G.," Counterfeit

1-23-79-A (10)



1723 Hibernia Farthing, D.G.," Counterfeit

EF 22-48

1-23-79-A (9)



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1-23-79-A (11)

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1-23-79-A (12)



1723 Hibernia Farthing, "D.G.," Counterfeit

1-23-79-A (13)



1723 Hibernia Farthing, "D.G."; Counterfeit

1723-79

1-23-79-A (14)



1723 Hibernia Farthing, "D G , " Counterfeit

1-23-79-A (15)



1723 Hibernia Farthing, "D G", Counterfeit

1-23-79-A (16)

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EF-2246, Lot #14, 1723 Woods Farthing (1d), D:G:Rex obverse. (genuine not available for comparison) The color and patination appear to be artificial. The numerous pock marks are too ~~smooth~~ ^{smooth} to be actual corrosion marks. There may be defects in casting and others actual corrosion marks that were on the original coin from which this piece was cast. The raised portion on the 2nd O appears to be a casting defect, but since I do not have a known genuine for comparison, I can't be certain of this. The reverse shows two die breaks: (1) From below center of right 'weight' of F through the lower part of I to the left point of the left leg of A. (2) From the right point of the right leg of A to the upper part of 'I' at left. Both of these breaks are too ~~smooth~~ ^{smooth}, having lost their sharpness in the casting process. What appears to be a planchet chip above IU on the obverse is too ~~smooth~~ ^{smooth} to be a chip of this planchet, but was most probably on the original coin from which this was cast. The edge shows numerous defects that are indicative of casting.

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1723 Woods farthing.

Wt. 3.8494 grams (59.4 grains).

Sp. gr. 8.8982894

Bowers and Ruddy Sale 8/21/78 - Lot 13 withdrawn.

Condition is very fine.

This piece has a dark ~~irregular~~ tone which is too uniform to be natural. The edge is extremely rough, ~~is~~ pocked and artificially darkened.

On the obverse there is ^{an unnatural mushroom shaped} ~~the~~ depression ~~the~~ partly over and close to ~~the~~ the ~~stop~~ stop after REX. There is a radial line extending between two ^{border} beads slightly into the field left of the first A of GRATIA. There is a depressed line between two border beads slightly into the field to the left of S.

On the reverse there are ~~two~~ radial depressions between beads, one ~~near~~ left of the left end of the base and one under the ~~left end of the base~~ base coming at the center of the globe. There is an elliptical copper flake ^{which appears to be} pressed into the planchet ~~of the~~ near E of HIBERNIA. ~~There is~~

The piece is very common and not worth forging. It comes with a group of forgeries. In our opinion it is a forgery and should not be returned to the owner without full disclosure.

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Who from

Color box

Identical for Jerry to

EF-2248

Charles Blackburn
Blackburn + Blackburn
Carmel, Calif
P.O. Box 7246 93921

Need enlargements for public

~~At~~ border beads stronger here
obv. from 730 to 10 o'clock
while on EF 2248 they are
much weaker

Cost?

LCH

envelope shows

Calif Coin + Stamp Shop

390-17th St

Oakland Ca 94612

415-451-0700

EF 2248 173 Wood D.G.

~~0014~~

3.8281 grams

59.1 grains

Sp gr 8.85 33765

Color poor. Identical die to mine
including die break at N/A. 1

~~Not back of mine~~

Several obverse pits and reverse pits

Punch clip ~~Dent~~ may be artificial.

Color unnatural

Not Final

Plain
paper

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Sept 1978 ~~James~~

Emerson

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